

Judge Leighton

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ESTHER LA RENA SCOTT, and
MICHAEL JOHN SCOTT,

Defendants.

No. CR18-5579 RBL

NOTICE REGARDING FORFEITURE

The United States of America, through undersigned counsel, gives notice pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 32.2(b)(4)(B) that it is not seeking an order to judicially forfeit the \$44,362.00 in U. S. currency that Defendants Esther La Rena Scott and Michael John Scott agreed to forfeit in their Plea Agreements because the Drug Enforcement Administration has already forfeited the money. *See* Dkt. Nos. 621, 626,

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1 and Ex. A.

2 DATED this 23rd day of August, 2019.

3 Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 23, 2019, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which automatically serves the parties of record.

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EXHIBIT A




U. S. Department of Justice
Drug Enforcement Administration

Asset ID: 19-DEA-647562 Case #: RY-18-0001
Asset Description: \$44,362.00 U.S. Currency
Seizure Date: 12/06/2018 Seizure Value: \$44362.00
Adoption Date:
Seizure Place: Snohomish, WA
Owner Name:
Seized From: Michael John Scott and Esther La Rena Scott
Judicial District: Western District of Washington

DECLARATION OF FORFEITURE

The above-described property has been seized by agents of the **DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION** pursuant to 21 U.S.C. Section 881. Notice of the seizure has been sent to all known parties who may have a legal or possessory interest in the property. Also, in accordance with 19 U.S.C. Section 1607, notice of the seizure has been published and no claim has been filed for the property within 30 days from the date of last publication of the advertisement. On this date, I have examined this matter, and found that there was sufficient information to support the forfeiture of this property. **THEREFORE**, it is hereby declared that such property is forfeited to the United States pursuant to 19 U.S.C. Section 1609.



Terrence J. King
Senior Attorney
Asset Forfeiture Section

AUG 09 2019

Date